

ROBBERS CHOKE WOMAN; TAKE \$40

Threaten Her With Knife,
Then Escape Unseen in
Crowded District.

Two men entered the rooms of Mrs. Francesca Boldini, on the first floor of the tenement at No. 32 James street, to-day, choked and beat her, robbed her of \$40, tied her feet and made their escape before she could give the alarm. The assault and robbery took place in the heart of a teeming tenement district and in a house swarming with human beings, but the attack was so sudden the victim was unable to summon assistance in time.

Mrs. Boldini's husband, Giuseppe, is a laborer employed in the excavation for the Fourth avenue tunnel in Brooklyn. They have two children who go to school. By thrift and deprivation Mrs. Boldini had succeeded in saving \$40 out of her husband's scanty pay and had it concealed in a pocket in her undershirt.

Two rough-looking men walked in on her at 10 o'clock yesterday morning and announced they came from her husband's town in Italy. They questioned her closely, learned that her husband was away at work and her children at school every day and promised to return later.

When they came back to-day Mrs. Boldini was not surprised. One of the men stood by the door. The other approached her and, catching her off her guard, grasped her throat and choked her. She fought back but was no match for her assailant. He punched her face with his free hand and knocked the back of her head against the edge of a table. Still she struggled.

WAVED KNIFE TO FORCE HER TO GIVE MONEY.

"If you can't keep quiet and tell us where your money is, I'll cut your throat," threatened the man who had held her.

He pulled a big dagger from his pocket. The expression in his eyes was murderous. In full belief he would carry out his threat, Mrs. Boldini told him where the money was and he cut the undershirt with the knife and secured the family savings. The other man was on watch at the door.

This second man, when the robbery had been completed, produced a piece of stout twine which he knotted around Mrs. Boldini's ankles. Then, with a final flourish of the knife, both men ran out, slammed the door, crossed the hall and entered a vacant flat. They dropped from a rear window into the yard, climbed a few fences and found their way to Oliver street.

Mrs. Boldini began to scream as soon as the robbers left and was dragging herself on her hands and knees when neighbors ran in and released her. Her description of the two men applies to thousands of Italian laborers, but the Oak Street Station detectives on the case think they have a clue.

GO HOME, YOU KID ELOPERS.

East Orange Parents Will Forgive If Children Will Show Up.

It little Ella Edelhoff and Johnny Fitzpatrick, who eloped from East Orange last Wednesday and have not been heard from since, will communicate with Ella's parents or at least let them know where they are, everything may turn out happily. The Edelhoffs are distressed with grief over the disappearance of their thirteen-year-old daughter and are only too anxious, they said to-day, to forgive her and give the couple their blessing.

Since the two youngsters went away not the slightest clue to their whereabouts has been uncovered. They had but \$10 and the Edelhoffs fear they are now destitute.

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George V. and Queen Mary at
Great Thanksgiving Ser-
vice for Them.

LONDON, Feb. 6.—A national thanksgiving service to commemorate the safe return of King George and Queen Mary from India, was held to-day in St. Paul's Cathedral. The King and Queen, with the Prince of Wales and Princess Mary, the Queen Mother Alexandra and other members of the royal family drove to St. Paul's through a chilly, damp fog and deep slush. Nevertheless, immense crowds stood along the streets and cheered the procession, which consisted of five carriages and an

escort of Household Cavalry, as it passed slowly toward the city.

The Archbishop of Canterbury and York, with nineteen bishops and many other clergy received the King and Queen on the steps of the Cathedral. A procession was then formed which marched down the centre aisle toward the altar. There were more than five thousand persons in the congregation. The service consisted of the national anthem, the "Te Deum," five prayers of general thanksgiving and the "Hallelujah Chorus." Then came a short address by the Archbishop of Canterbury, after which all stood and sang with him "Now Thank We All Our God."

The Westminster City Council presented an address of welcome to the King and Queen in Trafalgar Square, while the City of London dignitaries received their Majesties at Temple Bar with the ancient ceremony of presenting to the King the city's pearl sword.

Caught by Big Fly-Wheel.

Thomas McCune, who was employed as engineer in the plaster-making plant of W. H. Bell at No. 417 East Forty-eighth street, died in Flower Hospital to-day from injuries he received at midnight when his jumper caught in the belt of the big fly-wheel and his head was banged against an iron beam. He was not drawn within the belt, but the force with which his head struck the iron timber fractured his skull in two places. He was forty-two years old and lived at No. 308 East Twenty-ninth street.

A FAILURE, HE TRIES SUICIDE

Young Man Inhales Gas After He Loses in Business.

Max Rosen, a young man who had successfully failed in several business enterprises and found himself unable to find any sort of employment, attempted suicide to-day at No. 404 Fourteenth avenue, in the Parkville section of Brooklyn, by locking himself in the bathroom and inhaling gas through a tube. He was taken dying to the Norwegian Hospital.

Last night Rosen said to Mr. Tannebaum, with whom he boarded, "My next attempt at suicide is going through. I tried it a year after my first failure and couldn't even succeed in dying." Mr. Tannebaum sat up to keep watch and it was not until 3 o'clock this morning that he dropped off to sleep. He awakened at 7 and smelled gas, which he immediately traced to the bathroom. He had to force the door with a hatchet to get in.

Turned in Fire Alarm on Dare.

Thomas Weber, twelve years old of No. 429 East Eighty-first street and John Korros, eleven years old of No. 423 East Seventy-sixth street were arrested at Public School No. 70 on East Seventy-fifth street to-day by Policeman Patrick Toomey on a charge of turning in a false fire alarm from the

southeast corner of Seventy-sixth street and First avenue. The two boys blubbered piteously as they were taken to the East Sixty-seventh street station and thence to the Children's Court, charged with juvenile delinquency. They said they had turned in the alarm on a dare, but refused to name the boy who "dared" them.



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